

LOCAL.

Mrs. M. CROSSA left for Montana on last train.

J. H. HARPER, late of Saddle Lake, went to MacLeod on last train.

W. PEABODY, superintendent of mines, Calgary, returned south on Friday's train.

T. W. LINES, South Edmonton, is purchasing hay. The price paid is \$3 per ton.

Rev. Mr. GRANT, acting superintendent of Baptist home missions, will arrive on the 25th inst.

JUDSON SCOTT, of Calgary, will arrive on tonight's train and will open court tomorrow.

TRAIN 4 1/2 hours late leaving Calgary. Delay caused by west bound train being behind time.

S. S. TAYLOR, of Nelson, B. C., arrived on Thursday's train and left the same evening with H. Ross for Saddle Lake.

The L. O. G. T. will hold their first electioneering silver medal contest on Tuesday, March 23rd, in the Edmonton Saddlery Co's hall.

No telegraphic news to-day. Wires down on main line east of Calgary, also on government line between here and Battleford.

Rev. FATHER LEMARCHAND will sing mass in St. Joachim's church at 8.30 a.m. for the Irish people.

The Edmonton liberal association have changed their night of meeting from the 1st Friday, of each month to the 1st Tuesday of each month.

R. A. DICKEY, of South Edmonton, preached in the Presbyterian church yesterday morning, and Rev. Mr. McKay, of Belmont, in the evening.

A SPECIAL train arrived on Friday evening at six o'clock to take out the over-plus freight. It brought in three cars of way freight for various parties.

The normal school session which commenced the beginning of January was concluded on Saturday. A number of the normalites go south on Tuesday's train.

At the congregational meeting in All Saints' church last night it was resolved to petition Bishop Pankhau to send Rev. H. A. Gray of South Edmonton to All Saints' church.

J. OWENS, of Pine Creek, Alberta, arrived on last train with a car load of fine stock work horses for sale. They are all broken, and may be seen at the Eclipse livery stable.

Rev. H. A. GRAY, of South Edmonton, will conduct a children's service in All Saints' church next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Public baptism will be administered at the close of this service.

H. SIGLER, of the firm of Sigler & Cristall, merchants, returned on last train from Montreal where he has been purchasing goods for the firm. He reports business very dull in the east.

JOE McDONALD, South Edmonton, has received a contract to furnish 200 tons of hay for the Kootenay. He is paying \$6 per ton for good hay delivered on the car at South Edmonton.

FOR SALE: W. B. Stennett, small lots from the south, \$255, other small lots, \$75; Samuel Cook, McLeod, to H. B. Co., \$80.35; Charles McCullum, to H. B. Co., \$166.85; Ross Bros, small lots, \$80.

The funeral of the late Frederick Rowland will leave his father's residence at two o'clock to-morrow (Tuesday) afternoon for the Methodist church, where Rev. J. Dyke will preach the funeral service.

FATHER GRANDIN, of Lac la Biche, arrived in town on Thursday last. He brought in eight teams with him to take out supplies for the Catholic mission at Lac la Biche. He returns with the teams to-day.

J. S. STEWART, who has been attending the normal school for the past ten weeks, left yesterday afternoon for Nanaimo where he will commence his duties as a teacher in the school of that place very shortly.

MISS M. R. MALCOLM, Innisfail; Miss L. Grose, Miss Bessie Thorpe, Calgary; and J. Skinner, Olds, who have been attending the normal school for the past ten weeks, will return south on to-morrow's train.

The city carriage works has had the blacksmith shop which has been standing for some time west of the Hudson's Bay Co. store, placed on the lot adjoining their present place of business. The upper part of the building will be used as a paint shop and the lower part as a show room.

A. H. MARTIN, taxidermist, has on view in his window the head of the grizzly bear shot by Willie Taylor, Lake St. Ann, in December last. It is quite a large head and is mounted with the mouth open, flush finish, and presents a fine appearance. He has also a red fox mounted with one foot in a trap. It is holding up its paw and apparently is in great agony.

A CONVENTION of Liberal Conservatives of the Territories was held at Regina on Saturday, March 6th, to form a general Liberal Conservative association for the Territories, to elect two members to the Dominion advisory council, and to transact any other business which might recommend itself to the convention.

At a cabinet meeting held Tuesday last at Ottawa an order-in-council was passed permitting the law to take its course in the case of Sullivan, the New Brunswick murderer, and Bad Young Man alias "Charcoal," who killed Sgt. Wilde, of the N. W. M. P. Sullivan will be hanged on the 12th inst., and Bad Young Man on the 10th inst. Sullivan was at one time in the American army.

W. E. CAMSELL, accountant of the Hudson's Bay Co. post at Fort Chipewyan arrived in town on Saturday. He has been there for ten years and reports this the mildest winter that he has experienced. He came as far as Lac la Biche with dog team and travelled from there by team. He expects to be transferred to British Columbia, but has not received definite word yet.

E. SHEPPARD, at one time in the employ of G. Gallagher, returned on last train. Mr. Sheppard has been away 13 months during which time he has visited all the principal cities in the States. He spent considerable time in the Eastern States and reports a great depression in business generally. He says a good situation and reasonable wages in any line of business is almost impossible to get. He thinks that the people of Alberta do not know anything of hard times as compared with the people of the States, especially throughout the Eastern States. Mr. Sheppard reports having had a most enjoyable trip, but says that during his tour he saw no place which he liked as well as Edmonton, or no place which extended the same opportunities to a young man that Alberta does.

Rev. L. J. MARCH, Hay River, Slave Lake, preached in all Saints' church last night.

TO-DAY'S TRAIN.

One way car.

HOCKEY.

A match between the second seven of South Edmonton and the second seven of Edmonton, was played in South Edmonton on Friday afternoon last. The result of the game was 9 to 1 in favor of South Edmonton. F. Richards acted as referee and J. H. Morris and W. Jackson as umpires. The following are the member who composed the teams:

Goodridge, goal	Rohot,
Graham, point	Sharples
Coriveau, cover	Richards
Greenwood, point	
Campbell, for-	K. Sutherland,
Griesbach, wards	C. Sutherland,
McDermott,	McMahon,
	Clark

BRIDGE.

On Thursday evening the following telegram was received by the town clerk:

A. G. RANDALL, Esq., Edmonton.

If by-law has been passed by town of Edmonton, free contribution of fifty thousand dollars towards bridge and railway, please wire copy of it.

A. G. GOBEL, Deputy Minister. To which the clerk replied: Edmonton, March 11, '97.

A. G. GOBEL, Deputy Minister. Public Works, Ottawa.

The \$50,000 by-law confined to subscription for shares in Edmonton district railway. See copy advertised in Edmonton BULLETIN in parliamentary library of June 25th, '96. Subsequent agreement between town and company attaches many conditions. Can wire substance of agreement if desired.

A. G. RANDALL, Clerk. And on Friday the following telegram was received: Ottawa, March 12, '97.

A. G. RANDALL, Edmonton.

Please send copy of agreement referred to in your telegram of the 11th, received to-day.

A. G. GOBEL, Deputy Minister. To this the clerk replied that a copy of agreement would go forward by mail.

LITERARY ENTERTAINMENT.

The entertainment given by the literary society of the normal school on Saturday evening was attended by over fifty people, and was a decided success. Inspector Calder acted as chairman and explained the object of the entertainment. The following programme was rendered: Piano duet, "Sultan's Grand March," Miss Maggie and Alex. McCauley; address, by the chairman; solo, "Sailor's evening star," Mrs. Hockley; address, "The influence on social life," Mr. Skinner; essay, Mrs. Malcolm; solo, "To-morrow won't do," Mrs. Hockley. Mayor McDougall, R. W. Dickey, Mr. Richardson and Mr. Gimmil also gave addresses. The valedictory oration, essay and addresses by the normalites merited the highest credit. After the programme was rendered, and the company dispersed, the normalites remained behind to enjoy a few refreshments at which toasts and speeches were indulged in very freely until almost Sunday morning.

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... PEOPLE ...

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Certified teacher wanted for Heather Brae public school. Apply to J. S. McDONALD, Secretary, 37-42, Duhamel P. O., Alberta, N. W. T.

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TO ALBANY.

The sensation of the month in Toronto and Winnipeg has been the concert of the Albany Company. This favorite prima donna simply took Manitoba by storm and Winnipeggers could not restrain their enthusiasm at the concert given in that city, making the stay of Albany there longer than first planned. The Massey hall ballad concert in Toronto was a tremendous success. Madame Albany will close her Canadian tour with her high position as a vocalist fixed more deeply than ever in the hearts of the people of Canada. And there will always be connected with the name of Albany that of Canada's premier and veteran piano manufacturer, Heintzman, of Heintzman & Co., whose instruments were used exclusively by the Albany company in their Canadian tour. Fifty years of pianomaking has placed Heintzman & Co. at the top in piano manufacturing.

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CURLING.

Single hand competition for McDonald cup:

Sutter-McNicol.
Bishop-Sutter.
J. Lander-Stewart.
Goodwin-Oshorne.
MacKenzie-C. Linder.
McCauley-Kinnaird.

Weekly points competition.

Emery,	26.
Raymer,	26.
Goodwin,	22.
Robertson,	22.
De Roux,	22.

METEOROLOGICAL.

The following temperatures are reported from the Dominion government observatory, Edmonton, for the dates given:

March.		Max.	Min.
Thursday 11,		-2	
Friday 12,		0	-21
Saturday 13,		6	-25
Sunday 14,		18	-23
Monday 15,		7	

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Horses for Sale!

A car of broke horses from Pine Creek, Alberta. Good blocky horses from 1,100 to 1,300 pounds, part Clydes. The best load of farm horses ever came to Edmonton. Cattle taken in exchange.

To be seen at Eclipse Stables, Edmonton.

JOHN OWENS.

Spring Millinery!

JUST ARRIVED.

STRAW AND LACE HATS FOR LADIES AND CHILDREN.

Miss Charbonneau.

NOTICE!

In the matter of a certain Real Estate Mortgage made by William Fieldes to the Canada Permanent Loan and Savings Company on the 25th day of August, 1896, and registered as number 2254 on the 2nd day of September, 1896, for the sum of \$1200 and interest, and being upon S. W. one-quarter of Section 6, Township 33, R. 22, west 4th, containing 219 acres.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the order of the Honourable Mr. Justice Kinsler, made herein on the 8th day of March, A. D. 1897, that the lands and premises described above are offered for sale.

And further take notice that Monday, the 10th day of May, A. D. 1897, is the date fixed by the said order for the sale of the said lands and premises.

H. C. TAYLOR, Advocate for the Canada Permanent Loan and Savings Company.

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Fancy Dress Goods

TWEEDS, CANVAS CLOTH, POPLIN, LUSTRE, WORSTEDS, SERGES, HENRIETTES, LADIES' CLOTHS, Etc., Etc., Etc.

Cottons

FANCY DRESS GOODS, PRINTS, MATTINGS, OATMEAL CLOTH, PONGEE, CASHMERE, ZEPHYRS, GINGHAMS, DUCKS, SATEENS, PIQUES, Etc.

FANCY BLOUSES in great variety of material and design.

RIBBONS, LACES, GLOVES, HOSIERY & TRIMMINGS—all new.

We have goods at all prices and all are equally good value. To quote prices would only be misleading. The goods must be seen that their value may be appreciated. We will be pleased to demonstrate this fact.

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Also already to hand a complete stock of Clothing for men and boys—special value. Suits in Tweed, Serge and Worsted.

MEN'S TWEED SUITS at \$4.50 to \$16.00.

Special line of BLUE SERGE SUITS at \$4.90.

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GENTS' FURNISHINGS

A complete stock in all lines.

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Our new stock of BOOTS & SHOES will be to hand in a few days. It will pay you to await their arrival.

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One span of general purpose mares in good condition. Also several other horses. Cheap for cash. Apply to

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For the Belmont school district No. 22, male or female, first or second class certificate. Duties to commence March 18th, 1897. Applications to be in by March 15th. Address all applications to

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EDMONTON BULLETIN, MARCH 14th, 1897.

FREIGHT SERVICE.
It is not the desire of the BULLETIN to say anything that would in any way detract from the value of the concessions regarding freight rates recently granted by the C. P. R. from Alberta to the Kootenay, nor yet to make a fuss about any minor or temporary disadvantage. But on the other hand if the C. P. R. is desirous of building up a trade between Alberta and the Kootenay it is only right that they should be informed of anything that tends against the building up of that trade. Early in the winter, before the visit of General Superintendent Whyte, the fact had developed that the train service twice a week could not handle the outgoing freight in a manner satisfactory to shippers. In one way this was a most pleasing feature of the situation to every one. It argued that the country was producing largely, that the settlers, the dealers and the railway company were doing business, and therefore making money. It was a new condition of affairs. Hitherto the cry had been that there was nothing to ship, and therefore no business to be done, and the only fear expressed was that such a pleasing and generally satisfactory condition of affairs might not continue. Several specials were run up the line from Calgary to relieve the congestion and the public generally supposed that long ere this the traffic had sunk to an amount that could be handled easily and promptly by the ordinary train service. It has been brought strongly to the attention of the BULLETIN that this is not the case. That the congestion which began in November last has continued ever since, and exists to-day, with little prospect of being relieved for some months, and then only by a possible falling off in exports, not by the effort of the railway company to handle the business as commercial exigency requires it should be handled.

The sum of the matter is that the delays of freight between Edmonton and the Kootenay are and have been such all winter as to seriously handicap our dealers, even under the reduced rates, in competition not only with the prompt delivery possible from Spokane, but even in competition with Manitoba points. Cases have been cited of cars taking six weeks between Edmonton and Nelson, while cars from Portage la Prairie to the same point, have been delivered in half the time. This shows that the delay is not on the main line or even on the amphibious part of the route in the Kootenay. It is distinctly and chiefly on the C. & E. branch, and occurs simply because there is more freight than one train can haul, and the management is too stingy to put on an extra train when required to keep up with the traffic. The delays between Edmonton and Calgary, and at Calgary itself, are out of all reason and are without reason except the idea of pushing economy to the breaking point. The delays at Calgary are occasioned from the fact that full trains are made up at Manitoba points, and the cars coming off the branch have to take chances on being pulled through to Revelstoke. There is no systematic endeavor to push the freight through, as it must be pushed through if we are to compete successfully with Spokane, where the haul is short and direct. Delays on the amphibious section might be excused, but the delays between Edmonton and Calgary, or at Calgary, are not excusable nor can they be accounted for on any ground except that of an ill judged desire to keep down running expenses. Economy is a good thing, and the company are justified in using all due economy, but when they push economy to such a point that their patrons lose trade, and do business at a disadvantage, the economy ceases to be profitable even to themselves. It is no carping criticism to say that the reputation for enterprise which the company deservedly enjoys throughout the greater part of the country is not supported by their administration of the C. & E. branch, and has not been since it was first taken over. It has been a paying road from the start, and never paid so well as now or had as good prospects of paying

well. It is a time to aid development, to encourage enterprise, rather than retard it by an ill judged economy.

LITTLE BEAR.

Rev. John McDougall, of Morley, arrived on Thursday's train on a tour of inspection of Methodist missions on the Saddle Lake agency reserves, which will occupy about two weeks. Mr. McDougall has just returned from Ottawa where he has been visiting the government in conjunction with the Indian Chief Little Bear, with a view of arriving at an understanding as to what was to be done with this chief and his band. Little Bear is a son of the late lamented Chief Big Bear, of Frog Lake massacre fame, who with a large number of Crees, of various reserves, who were more or less actively concerned in the rebellion of 1885, betook themselves to United States as a measure of personal precaution after the rebellion had been quelled. These Indians numbered five or six hundred souls. While in Montana Little Bear was elected their chief, and administered their affairs there in a manner showing good administrative ability. Having no treaty rights there they were compelled to support themselves by working, and the chief arranged for contracts for them at the various military establishments, for wood cutting, railroading, and indeed anything that would yield a living. However, as they had no rights there and could not acquire any, the United States government thought it desirable to get rid of them, and consequently they were gathered up and deported to Canada, with the understanding that the Canadian government would deal fairly by them, and that they would not go back. When they came north as many as possible were sent to the reserves to which they originally belonged, and the residue which could not be so apportioned, was brought to the Battle River reserves under the chieftainship of Little Bear. After the arrival of the Indians there last August many questions arose as to what rights they were to have as Indians under the Canadian government. An amnesty had been granted in 1886, but its terms were vague in many respects, and it was to get these matters settled that Little Bear went to Ottawa, and Rev. John McDougall accompanied him as interpreter and counsellor. It was settled that these Indians numbering about 200 should be recognized as a band under the chieftainship of Little Bear, and should be given the reserve at one time occupied by Chief Bob Tail's band on Battle River, that band having given up their treaty rights and taken scrip. They are to be given a start with stock and implements and rations and to be treated in all respects as other Indians. The treaty money they would have received had they been in Canada is forfeited by their absence.

THE MILLER AGAIN.

EDITOR BULLETIN.

DEAR SIR: In your issue of Monday Mr. Cowie cannot see in the unsupported assertion of an interested person like Mr. Ritchie, any reason to alter the approximation of 250,000 bushels being the yield of wheat for the district. Mr. Cowie never spoke a greater truth than when he said I was an "interested person." I claim to be very much interested in the wheat production of the district, proof of which may be found in a letter of mine which appeared in the columns of your paper nearly a year ago, and also from the fact that in different occasions had imported car loads of No. 1 hard wheat, and sold it at cost, with a view to advancing the quality as well as the quantity, and also from the fact that I along with the other shareholders in our company, invested a considerable amount of money in a mill for the production of flour from the wheat grown in the district.

What proof does Mr. Cowie give that there was 250,000 bushels. He says somebody told him there was that much wheat. This is the testimony he produces against the "unsupported assertion" of one who actually bought the wheat and paid cash for it, and who should have a very good idea of the number of bushels as well as the quality. If there was such a large quantity of wheat grown, will Mr. Cowie tell where it is stored. If I can find another 100,000 bushels, and it proves to be not more than 10 per cent. frozen I will gladly reduce the percentage of frosted which I previously made. Perhaps the "milling facilities," which are yet "far from adequate," by running half time, have ground it into flour, which has been quite insufficient to supply the needs of the flour market, and hence, this may explain why "so much flour is being constantly imported." The president of the board of trade wants to know how it is that 16 cars of wheat was shipped to British Columbia. May I ask him where are we going to find a market for the 25,000 bushels, which is his estimate of ten per cent. of the wheat which he claims was frozen and unfit for milling unless in British Columbia. Does he for a moment think there is a market for it in Edmonton. In regard to the four cars shipped from Wetaskiwin to Calgary. The price offered by the miller at Calgary was so high that we could not touch it. And I think there

is, very good proof that the miller of that city greatly increased in judgment in paying too much for the wheat, from the fact that he has recently made assignment.

Mr. Cowie says "That it is a notorious fact that farmers for a long period could not get gristing, and that a wheat blockade of lengthy duration occurred during which, and because of which farmers allege Mr. R. docked them two and three cents per bushel. This Mr. Editor, is a revelation to me, and instead of being a notorious fact, looks very much like a notorious untruth as far as our mill is concerned. With the exception of part of two days, when an accident occurred to the machinery, there was no trouble at all in supplying all the gristing that came along. Just where the wheat blockade came in it puzzles me to tell. We have bought every load of wheat offered for sale at our mill and paid spot cash for the same. We admit that our elevator facilities should have been greater. But storage elsewhere was amply provided for, and furthermore we intend to purchase all the wheat offered during the remainder of the season, and nothing will give your humble servant more pleasure than to have that other 100,000 bushels show up. Trot it out Mr. President.

Mr. Cowie appears to belong to that class of whom Mr. J. Y. Griffin made a remark before the tariff commission at Winnipeg. He said: "I regret the willingness of many gentlemen to offer opinions upon matters regarding which they have no close knowledge."

Mr. Cowie says: "Our report does not say that the present mills are not able to grind all the wheat grown in the district," but that he said that "milling and elevator facilities are yet far from adequate." What is the difference in not being able and being far from adequate. It looks as though they might mean about the same thing. But then I am an "interested person," and my word don't count. My aim Mr. Editor since coming to this country is to be "interested" in everything that pertains to the advancement of this great and almost undeveloped portion of the Northwest, and I fail to see why the president of the Edmonton board of trade should endeavor to incite a few grouches to make complaint of an industry which has done so much for the advancement of their, and the country's interests.

I have no doubt but that there are a few farmers whom Mr. Cowie could find, who could just tell exactly how the business connected with a flour mill should be conducted. These men would not belong to the class who have made farming a success, nor would they be the ones who grow the best wheat. The successful man is generally the one who is content to mind his own business and allow others to do the same.

Again thanking you Mr. Editor for occupying so much space in your valuable paper.

I remain,

R. RITCHIE.

South Edmonton, March 10, 1897.

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Cheap for Cash.

HARDWARE,
TINWARE,
GRANITEWARE

Catch it while it's going.

JAS. A. STOVEL.

PUMPS.—Tasteless Tannin. Pipe, 25c. a foot. Cylinder, \$3.00. Head, \$7.00. Placed and in working order.
AMOS SWERFEGGER,
Ross' Flat, Edmonton.

JUDICIAL SALE

Brewery Property,
PLANT, ETC.

The property of the Edmonton Brewing & Malting Company (Calvin & Kelly) situate in the Town of Edmonton, N. W. T., and consisting of one acre of land fronting on the Saskatchewan river, Brewery building, Plant, Outbuildings, stock-in-trade, etc., will be offered for sale at public auction on

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 12
at 2 p. m., at the premises.

Full particulars of property and conditions of sale can be had on application to the undersigned: Andrew McNicol, Receiver and Manager, Edmonton.
Reck & Emery, Advocates, Edmonton.
H. C. Taylor, Advocate, Edmonton.
Dated at Edmonton, the 11th January, 1897.
24-30

N. B.—The above sale is postponed to Tuesday, March 2nd, 1897, at the same hour and place.
The above sale is further postponed until Friday, March 19th, at the same hour and place.

WANTED.
General servant wanted at Donald, B. C. Wages \$12 to \$15 a month. Apply at Bulletin office.

Garden, Field and Flower

...SEEDS...

Full stock now on hand.

Also Tares and different varieties of Grass Seeds.

Full line of GROCERIES cheap for cash.

Two cars of Drills, Plows, Harrows, Wagons, etc. to arrive in a few days.

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AUCTION SALE!

There will be sold by public auction at the Hotel Edmonton, South Edmonton, on

SATURDAY, THE 20th DAY OF MARCH, 1897
at two o'clock p. m. the following valuable farm property:

The south-west quarter of Section Four, Township Fifty-two, Range Twenty-four, west of the fourth meridian, containing 155 acres, more or less. This property adjoins the railway line and is within three miles of South Edmonton. All fenced; twenty acres plowed ready for spring crop.

There is a good frame house on the premises and abundance of hay, wood and water.

Easy terms of payment. Will be sold subject to a reserve bid.

Terms and conditions of sale made known on date of sale or on application to

A. C. RUTHERFORD,
Vendor's Advocate.
South Edmonton, 22nd Feb., 1897.

MORTGAGE SALE

OF VALUABLE

Farm Property!

Pursuant to the order and direction of the Honorable Mr. Justice Scott, and under and by virtue of a certain registered mortgage made in pursuance of the Land Titles Act, 1894, and amendments thereto, which mortgage will be produced at the date of sale, there will be offered for sale by public auction on

Saturday, March 27th, 1897,
at two o'clock in the afternoon, at Robertson Hall, in the Town of Edmonton, the following property:

The south half of Section 8, in Township 56, Range 26, west of the fourth meridian, in the District of Alberta, containing by admeasurement 320 acres, more or less.

The above described property is situated in the Settlement of Morinville, and is known as the C. J. Lemire farm, and has valuable buildings and improvements upon it.

Terms and conditions of sale and further particulars and descriptions of the property will be made known at the date of the sale or on application to

W. S. ROBERTSON. H. C. TAYLOR,
Auctioneer. Vendor's Advocate

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the Trans-Canadian Railway Company will apply to the Parliament of Canada, at its next session, for an Act to change the name of the Company, to extend the time for the commencement and completion of the Company's railway, and for power to construct a branch from a point near the northeast end of Lake Winnipeg and thence to York Factory, Hudson's Bay, also a branch from a point near where the proposed main line of the company will cross the St. Maurice River in the Province of Quebec, and thence southerly by way of Joliette in the City of Montreal.

GEMMILL & MAY,
Solicitors for Applicants.
Dated at Ottawa, this 22nd day
of December, A. D. 1896. 24 41

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J. A. McDougall.

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I have pleasure in directing special attention to the very large consignments of Spring and Summer Goods just opened out at the Manchester House. Convinced that the coming season promises to be an unusually busy one, I have secured an immense Stock of Goods, which are now being sold at prices that cannot fail to attract a bargain-loving public.

... LADIES' DEPARTMENT ... DRESS GOODS A SPECIALTY.

In Dress Goods and Trimmings, Silks, Velvets, Satens, Delaines, Plain and Fancy Flannelettes, Muslins, Fancy Ducks, Ginghams, Prints, etc. will be found a selection unsurpassed in the Territories.

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In Men's Goods attention is directed to some fine lines of Spring and Summer Underwear, Shirts, Overalls, Caps, Ties, Gloves, Braces, etc., etc. prices of which are cut to the closest margin.

In Art Muslins, Cretonnes, Art Satens, Damask Linen, Napkins, Table Covers, Blankets, Sheetings, etc. will be found a large and very superior range.

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PRESBYTERY MEETING.

The regular half yearly meeting of the lately formed presbytery of Edmonton was held in the Presbyterian church last week, beginning March 2nd, 1897. Rev. D. G. McQueen, B. A., moderator. The various reports given in showed good and satisfactory work done all round. The Rev. W. L. Atkinson, Innisfail, gave the report on young people's societies. Mr. J. J. Ferguson, South Edmonton, on colleges. Rev. John Fernie, Lacombe, on church life and work; Rev. D. G. McQueen, Edmonton, on ordinance; Rev. A. Forbes, Fort Saskatchewan, on statistics and finances; Mr. G. Read, Lacombe, on Sabbath schools; Rev. D. G. McQueen on the general work of the fields throughout the presbytery under the head of home missions; Rev. A. Forbes on examination of students. It is encouraging to note the progress made by one congregation—that of Edmonton—being raised to the station of "self-supporting." The other fields embraced by the presbytery those of Olds, Innisfail, Red Deer, Lacombe, Wetaskiwin, Leduc, South Edmonton, Belmont, Stony Plain, Fort Saskatchewan, New Lunnun, Josephberg and Beaver lake, had each its own difficulties to contend with. There will be a few changes made, but most of the ordained men will remain in their fields for two more years. On the report of the committee on examination of students the presbytery had pleasure in certifying Mr. Dickey, of South Edmonton, the only student returning to college at this term. Every presbytery has the privilege of nominating some one to the moderatorship of the forthcoming general assembly. The presbytery of Edmonton nominated the Rev. J. C. Herdman, B. D., of Calgary. The next meeting of the presbytery will be in South Edmonton on Tuesday, Sept. 7th.

THE FARMER EXPLAINS.

EDITOR BULLETIN.

DEAR SIR: Re R. Ritchie's communications of the 1st and 4th, insts. I beg to say that the fraud of poor wheat being mixed with good wheat was as follows: I loaned two sacks of wheat to a neighbor last fall and in returning it I emptied the two sacks into other sacks partially filled, not noticing anything wrong with the wheat or having any intention to defraud anyone. My partner took these sacks to Ritchie to exchange for flour. Hence comes the uncalled for spleen. I may briefly say that if some farmers are harder cases than some millers "God help the farmer." Regarding the board of trade's estimate of the quantity of wheat grown in Edmonton district, I am sure it is under the figure rather than above it, as I made enquiry which showed the number of bushels on Stony Plain this fall totalled 67,000. So the balance of the district must have over 200,000 bushels. R. Ritchie has the audacity to place himself as a paragon of full knowledge of the quantity of wheat. His whining estimate of the quantity of wheat is apparent to all i.e. to keep another mill from being erected. R. Ritchie got the most of this 67,000 bushels from the Plain at 20 cents below value, which means a loss of \$2,000. "Who is the dead beat now?" Hoping the buyer who will come from the east next fall will not be bought by the miller. I contend if any farmer wants a straight deal Fort Saskatchewan is the mill where honesty is fully adhered to.

O. MICKELSON.

Stony Plain, March 8th.

MANAWAN.

The fortnightly meeting of the literary society was held in the school house on Friday. There was no debate, but a pleasant evening was passed. The reading of the rival newspapers, the "Blatner" and the "Tatler," being the feature of the evening.

A meeting of the ratepayers of Manawan school district was held in the school house on the 1st inst., to enquire into the legality of the election of the trustees and other matters, and resulted in the election of Messrs. T. Hall, Archie Whitford and J. A. Richardson as trustees.

W. Bibbee talks of going to the Kootenay in the spring.

Sergt. Turnbull and interpreter C. Henderson left here on Thursday for Lac la Biche.

There is a good deal of sickness around, nearly every family having some of its members on the sick list.

A petition is being circulated to get a weekly mail. It is as well to be in time. If it takes 12 months to get a post office, how long will it take to get a weekly mail? Please mister postmaster general get a move on, it's quite in order.—the post office is.

More snow and trails heavy. 6th March, 1897.

BEAVER LAKE (EAST).

In my last report I mentioned that Mrs. Malcolm McCallum and Mrs. John D. McAllister had taken part in a debate on ranching vs. farming. The intelligent composer—probably the same one that spells measles, measles—dropped the s from Mrs. It may seem astonishing that our ladies take part in such discussions, but it is fact nevertheless. What is more to the point, they can keep up their side of the argument all right too.

The last debate in our literary society

was on the subject "Is smoking tobacco injurious to health?" Mr. H. Deby for the negative, gave such an eloquent speech, bristling with facts, that the committee of judges decided unanimously in favor of that view of the matter. From this time forward smokers can use the weed with easy consciences, and the anti-tobacco "fanatics" had better hunt their holes.

HORSE HILL.

The second annual meeting of the ratepayers of the Horse Hill school district, No. 266, was held on Jan. 30th, when Jacob Broeder was elected trustee in place of Wm. Clark, who was unseated for irregularities. The school is now running, and pupils making excellent progress with Professor Dorland at the helm.

A number of people here are laid up with la grippe and other complaints.

A large quantity of ice is being taken out here by the farmers who have confidence that the creamery will give better satisfaction since the government have taken hold of the concern.

A number of young people gathered at the residence of James McLeod, and after enjoying a good supper, tripped the light fantastic toe till daylight. Excellent music was rendered by Fred Lewis, P. Borwick and Gilbert McKay.

H. Irvin is taking out timber to build a large dwelling house this summer.

G. Blake writes from the Kootenay that he wishes he was back again on his homestead at Horse Hill. Hundreds of men idle and no work.

The last meeting of the Horse Hill literary society for the season was held on Friday, 12th March. The young folks rendered a good programme.

March 12.

LACOMBE LINKS.

DIED—On Monday, March 1st, at the residence of her father, Mr. James, the wife of Thomas McCue. The remains were interred in the Lacombe cemetery on Wednesday, 3rd.

There have been some ties drawn to the track near here, but the trails keep drifting, so full that it is very slow work to do teaming of any kind.

The revival services in the Methodist church the last two weeks are being continued this week.

Mrs. Thacker leaves tomorrow for British Columbia and from thence to Uncle Sam's country.

The weather has been so rough and the roads so bad for the last three weeks that it has made things very quiet for the business men.

March 8, 1897.

ANGUS RIDGE.

The attendance of the Battle River school for February was 13. There are 19 on the roll.

Mrs. Jake Shantz's many friends regret that she is ill at present. Suffering from cancer of the stomach.

Messrs. Wilson and Thirk are busy preparing for the erection of a stable.

It is expected that some new settlers will move into this district in the spring.

The ladies in the Battle River school are decorating the school house with tissue paper. Several in the section are taking an active part.

Master Freddie Wilson, who was on the sick list, is regaining his usual health.

John McVicar, teacher, Battle River school, has homesteaded northeast quarter section 14, township 45, range 2c. He will probably spend a few lonesome days in his house for the first year like all bachelors.

J. B. Robinson is erecting a new house. Mr. McMillan, of Wetaskiwin, is the contractor.

Mr. Richardson was the guest of Mrs. John McRae last week.

March 8, '97.

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Notice is hereby given that at the next ensuing session of the Dominion Parliament application will be made for the renewal of the charter of the Saskatchewan Railway and Mining Co., Chap. 78, 54 and 55 Vic., and for a revision of its Board of Provisional Directors; also for an amendment thereto giving the right to construct a branch line from at or near Saskatoon easterly via Humboldt, Quill Lake, to Shellmouth, Man., thence to Brandon, Yellowhead, Fort Saskatchewan, and through the Battleford, Port, thence to Burnard or Euts Inlet, B. C.; and also authority from the same point crossing the North Saskatchewan river to Green Lake, thence via Beaver River valley to the Oil Fields of Athabasca.

Geo. W. Grant, Secretary. 29-47

Toronto, Jan. 26th, 1897.

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ENTRAYS.
Came to the premises of the subscriber, St. Albert road, about 12th December last, two brown mares, three or four years old. One branded with three pronged fork pointing upwards on left thigh; the other having an indistinct brand on left shoulder. No other marks. Owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take away.

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THE LIQUOR LICENSE ORDINANCE 1891-92 AND AMENDMENTS THEREON, NORTH-WEST TERRITORIES.

The following application for a license has been made and will be considered by the Board of License Commissioners for License District No. 3 at Edmonton, on Saturday, the 3rd day of April, 1897 at 10 o'clock, a.m.

Joseph Couture.—The building situated on Lot No. 14, subdivision of River Lots Nos. 52 and 57, S. Albert, wholesale license.

Dated at Regina, this 1st day of March, A. D. 1897.

VICTOR DOOD, Chief License Inspector.

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HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Alberta—E. P. Watson, Sturgeon; Wm. Purvis, Winnipeg; R. D. Turner, Montreal; J. L. Beckwith, Quebec; R. Barker Toronto; H. M. Fullerton, Brantford; S. S. Taylor, Nelson, B.C.; A. Sheppard, Philadelphia, U.S.; J. F. McNamara, Wetaskiwin; J. J. Mellon, Rabbit Hill; C. M. Graham, Inver, Howard, Fort Saskatchewan; Rev. L. J. Marsh, Hay River, Slave lake; W. E. Cansell, Fort Chippewyan; W. E. Lake, Stony Plain; W. T. Links, Athabasca.

Jasper—D. Craig, Sturgeon; H. Seigler, Stony Plain; Sgt. Brooks, N. White, Fort Saskatchewan; Geo. Sutherland, Spruce Grove; J. Byers, Brasseau; Mr. and Mrs. Myrom, Edna; S. K. Larson, A. Turner, Stony Plain; John Graham, Wm. Stephen, A. Adamson, Clover Bar.

LESSER SLAVE LAKE.

On Sunday night, Feb. 21st, four dog trains arrived from White Fish lake. Mr. Gaudet, a young clerk of the H. C. post and three Indians were bringing two married women to Lesser Slave lake to prevent their being killed by their relatives; as happened last winter at Trout lake. These two women were taken with a sudden sickness which the Indians call "Witikaw" or cannibal. The Indians of White Fish lake were frightened, and they had already sacrificed two dogs to save the two young women, but in vain. Four men watched over them for three nights. They could hardly hold them when they were taken with fits. So they resolved to bring them to Lesser Slave lake. The justice of the peace gave an order to send them to the Roman Catholic mission, where good care is given them. The two young women passed the night all right. They took a light supper and slept well. Next morning, the 22nd inst., they seemed a great deal better. Their father arrived that day and found them talking, laughing and enjoying themselves. To-day, the 23rd, they seem to be stronger. They are visiting about the place. We expect that after a few days they will be able to go back home to White Fish lake. Rev. Father Desmarais, in charge of the mission, gives himself no rest to take care of them. By this doing he will undoubtedly prevent murder, for they were nearly sure to be killed. It is expected here that the government will pay the expenses incurred.

N. BRISSETTE.

HOLY SEE AGITATION.

A Montreal dispatch of March 6th, to the Free Press says: Under the heading, "Instruction from the Holy See," La Patrie, Mr. Tarte's paper, says: "We are in position to announce instructions have been given by the Holy See to the bishops to cease all agitation on the school question until the court of Rome has had an opportunity of pronouncing with knowledge of the case upon the politico-religious situation in Canada. We give currency to this grave news after being assured by authorities at the Vatican we are permitted to publish it. Let us hope this event will produce in all minds the beginning of a healthy pacification. On taking the direction of this journal, our first advice to readers of La Patrie was an appeal to moderation and prudence. We renew this appeal to-day. There is nothing humiliating for the episcopate in the fact that representations made to Rome by sincere and devoted Catholics have been heard. In instructions which came from the Vatican are the cause of the hurried departure of Mgr. Begin. If His Grace makes this voyage with the intention of opposing the sending of a papal delegate to us, we express respectfully but firmly the hope that his mission will not be crowned with success. La Patrie is not at liberty to say more to day, but it is well posted on the whole situation."

GENERAL NEWS.

Lethbridge News: Mr. Robert Evans on Wednesday last received word from the dept. of agriculture that his services as veterinary surgeon inspector were no longer required. This is the result of the liberal government's being raised to power.

A dispatch to the Free Press of March 2nd, says: Sir Donald A. Smith, Canadian high commissioner to Great Britain, sails for a brief visit to Canada on Saturday, and will confer with Hon. Mr. Laurier and the other ministers before the opening of the session.

A dispatch to the New York Journal from Athens says: "Bulgaria has offered to join Greece and Serbia in a joint campaign against the Turks in Macedonia, should events in the next few days require it. This would practically annihilate Turkish rule in Europe and drive it back into Asia. The Greek government has not yet replied to Bulgaria, but nearly the whole Greek army is concentrated in Thessaly on the Macedonian frontier. Twenty thousand Greeks of Macedonia are armed, waiting for a signal to rise against the Sultan. Ten or fifteen thousand Greek volunteers are marching toward the frontier with the obvious intention of invading the Sultan's territory. The gravity of the situation cannot be exaggerated. It is true Greece has a population of only 2,500,000, but between 6,000,000 and 7,000,000 Greeks are in Turkey, the vast number of whom hate the Turk. Macedonia

forms the largest part of European Turkey and the liberation of Macedonia means the complete destruction of the Ottoman empire in Europe. Nothing can prevent this, unless the combined powers send an army to occupy the frontier between Greece and Turkey."

INDIA FAMINE FUND.

The Imperial Bank of Canada begs to acknowledge the following amounts received:

Town of Edmonton lists 1.	
2, 3, 4.	\$108 00
A. Taylor,	5 00
A. N. Otter,	1 00
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S. C. Rogers,	5 00
W. Vogel,	1 00
D. Evans,	.50
Imperial bank staff,	10 00
	\$151 00

The same has been forwarded to His Excellency the governor-general. The bank will be glad to receive any further amounts.

Neerewa Press: A new political plot has been presented to the public during the past week. It would appear that Hugh John Macdonald—that is, he will be unseated. Then look at the complications: He was the C. P. R. candidate in June last, and that corporation could not desert him in another contest. But if the C. P. R. and Free Press opposed a government candidate there, how could they expect to get any subsidies? Therefore, Hugh John (to serve his masters best) intimates that at the earnest solicitation of friends and by the consent of Sir Charles Tupper he will relinquish federal honors and lead the separate school party in the Manitoba legislature. Of course, he hasn't a seat there; but Archbishop Langevin will have Messieurs Lauzon, or Messieur Pare, or Messieur Roblah resign to make way for him. And then, won't Farmer Tom Greenway have to look sharp when he knows that the C. P. R. has joined hands with the Roman Catholic church to oust him!

Winnipeg Tribune: The Western immigration association is being assisted in its work, and Hon. Mr. Sifton has named Premier Greenway, Mr. Archibald, Q. C., and Mr. F. W. Heubach to superintend its special work. Mr. Heubach is at present preparing material for a special publication giving personal experiences.

DEATHS.

BELL—At Sturgeon River, on Monday, March 8th, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Bell.

The funeral took place on Wednesday. The services being conducted by Rev. A. Forbes, of Fort Saskatchewan.

ROWLAND—At Edmonton on Monday, March 15th, 1897, Frederick, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Rowland, of Edmonton, aged 28 years, 11 months and 29 days.

Funeral tomorrow (Tuesday) at 2 p. m.

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 12

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H. C. Taylor, Advocate, Edmonton.

Dated at Edmonton, the 11th January, 1897.

24-30

N. B.—The above sale is postponed to Tuesday, March 2nd, 1897, at the same hour and place.

The above sale is further postponed until Friday, March 19th, at the same hour and place.

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NOTICE.

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Edmonton, 5th March, 1897.

W. J. BALDWIN.

NOTICE!

Town Licenses.

Notice is hereby given that all persons carrying on any of the businesses or callings enumerated below must on or before the 15th April, next, make application to me, on form to be supplied, for a License to carry on such business or calling, paying the fee for such License to St. George Jellett, Collector.

Common Carriers or Draymen, 1 Double Dray, \$15.00 (Single Dray, 10.00)

Livery Stable or Sale Stable, 15.00

Water Dealer, each vehicle, 10.00

Victualling houses, ordinary, or house where fruit, oysters or liquid refreshments are sold to be eaten or drunk therein, 5.00

Permittee keeping billiard or pool tables in place of public entertainment, For the first table, 10.00

For every additional table, 5.00

Milk dealers or carriers, (for one vehicle, 5.00 every additional vehicle, 5.00)

All Licenses shall be for one year and shall terminate on the 31st December, 1897.

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DOG TAX.

Every owner of a dog over six months old shall, on or before the 1st of May next, cause the same to be registered in my office, and shall cause the dog to wear a tag to be supplied.

The following fees must be paid to St. George Jellett, Collector, if registered on or before 1st July, 1897:

For each dog, \$1.00

For each bitch, 5.00

For each bitch registered in any recognized Kennel Club Stud Book, on production of certificate, 2.50

If registered after the first July, 1897, double the above fees must be paid.

By virtue By-Law No. 30 and amendments made and to be made.

For further information regarding Licenses will be given on application to

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Edmonton, March 11th, 1897.

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